

**CPC****COOPERATIVE PATENT CLASSIFICATION****C03C****CHEMICAL COMPOSITION OF GLASSES, GLAZES, OR VITREOUS ENAMELS; SURFACE TREATMENT OF GLASS; SURFACE TREATMENT OF FIBRES OR FILAMENTS FROM GLASS, MINERALS OR SLAGS; JOINING GLASS TO GLASS OR OTHER MATERIALS****NOTE**

This subclass covers compositions of polycrystalline fibres

This subclass does not cover the preparation of single-crystal fibres, which is covered by subclass C30B

**WARNING**

The following IPC groups are not used in the CPC scheme. Subject matter covered by these groups is classified in the following CPC groups:

[C03C 6/00](#) covered by [C03C 1/00](#)  
[C03C 10/02](#)-[C03C 10/14](#) covered by [C03C 10/00](#)  
[C03C 13/02](#) covered by [C03C 13/00](#)  
[C03C 27/12](#) covered by [B32B 17/00](#)

**Chemical composition of glasses, glazes, or vitreous enamels****NOTE**

In groups [C03C 1/00](#) to [C03C 14/00](#), in the absence of an indication to the contrary, classification is made in the last appropriate place.

**C03C 1/00****Ingredients generally applicable to manufacture of glasses, glazes, or vitreous enamels****C03C 1/002**

. {Use of waste materials, e.g. slags}

**C03C 1/004**

. {Refining agents (**refining** [C03B 5/225](#))}

**C03C 1/006**

. {to produce glass through wet route}

**C03C 1/008**

.. {for the production of films or coatings}

**C03C 1/02**

. Pretreated ingredients

**C03C 1/022**

.. {Purification of silica sand or other minerals}

**C03C 1/024**

.. {Chemical treatment of cullet or glass fibres}

**C03C 1/026**

.. {Pelletisation or prereacting of powdered raw materials (**apparatus or methods** [C03B 1/02](#))}

**C03C 1/028**

.. {Ingredients allowing introduction of lead or other easily volatile or dusty compounds}

- C03C 1/04 . Opacifiers, e.g. fluorides or phosphates; Pigments
- C03C 1/06 .. to produce non-uniformly pigmented, e.g. speckled, marbled, or veined products
- C03C 1/08 . to produce crackled effects
- C03C 1/10 . to produce uniformly-coloured transparent products
- C03C 1/105 .. {by the addition of colorants to the forehearth of the glass melting furnace}

### **C03C 3/00 Glass compositions**

- C03C 3/04 . containing silica

#### **NOTE**

If silica is specified as being present in a percent range covered by two of the groups [C03C 3/06](#), [C03C 3/062](#) or [C03C 3/076](#), classification is made in both groups. If the range is covered by the three groups, classification is made in group [C03C 3/04](#) itself.

- C03C 3/045 .. {Silicon oxycarbide, oxynitride or oxycarbonitride glasses}
- C03C 3/06 .. with more than 90% silica by weight, e.g. quartz {(C03C 3/045 takes precedence)}
- C03C 3/061 ... {by leaching a soluble phase and consolidating}
- C03C 3/062 .. with less than 40% silica by weight
- C03C 3/064 ... containing boron
- C03C 3/066 .... containing zinc
- C03C 3/068 .... containing rare earths
- C03C 3/07 ... containing lead
- C03C 3/072 .... containing boron
- C03C 3/074 ..... containing zinc
- C03C 3/0745 ..... {containing more than 50% lead oxide, by weight}
- C03C 3/076 .. with 40% to 90% silica, by weight {(C03C 3/045 takes precedence)}
- C03C 3/078 ... containing an oxide of a divalent metal, e.g. an oxide of zinc
- C03C 3/083 ... containing aluminium oxide or an iron compound
- C03C 3/085 .... containing an oxide of a divalent metal
- C03C 3/087 ..... containing calcium oxide, e.g. common sheet or container glass
- C03C 3/089 ... containing boron
- C03C 3/091 .... containing aluminium
- C03C 3/093 ..... containing zinc or zirconium
- C03C 3/095 ... containing rare earths
- C03C 3/097 ... containing phosphorus, niobium or tantalum
- C03C 3/102 ... containing lead
- C03C 3/105 .... containing aluminium
- C03C 3/108 .... containing boron
- C03C 3/11 ... containing halogen or nitrogen

- C03C 3/111 . . . . {containing nitrogen}
- C03C 3/112 . . . . containing fluorine
- C03C 3/115 . . . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/118 . . . . . containing aluminium
  
- C03C 3/12 . Silica-free oxide glass compositions
- C03C 3/122 . . {containing oxides of As, Sb, Bi, Mo, W, V, Te as glass formers}
- C03C 3/125 . . {containing aluminium as glass former}
- C03C 3/127 . . {containing TiO<sub>2</sub> as glass former}
- C03C 3/14 . . containing boron
- C03C 3/142 . . . {containing lead}
- C03C 3/145 . . . containing aluminium or beryllium
- C03C 3/15 . . . containing rare earths
- C03C 3/155 . . . . containing zirconium, titanium, tantalum or niobium
- C03C 3/16 . . containing phosphorus
- C03C 3/17 . . . containing aluminium or beryllium
- C03C 3/19 . . . containing boron
- C03C 3/21 . . . containing titanium, zirconium, vanadium, tungsten or molybdenum
- C03C 3/23 . . containing halogen and at least one oxide, e.g. oxide of boron
- C03C 3/247 . . . containing fluorine and phosphorus
- C03C 3/253 . . containing germanium
  
- C03C 3/32 . Non-oxide glass compositions, e.g. binary or ternary halides, sulfides or nitrides of germanium, selenium or tellurium
- C03C 3/321 . . {Chalcogenide glasses, e.g. containing S, Se, Te}
- C03C 3/323 . . . {containing halogen, e.g. chalcohalide glasses}
- C03C 3/325 . . {Fluoride glasses}
- C03C 3/326 . . . {containing beryllium}
- C03C 3/328 . . {Nitride glasses}

#### **C03C 4/00 Compositions for glass with special properties**

##### **NOTE**

When classifying in group [C03C 4/00](#), classification is also made in the appropriate groups of group [C03C 3/00](#) according to the glass composition.

- C03C 4/0007 . {for biologically-compatible glass}
- C03C 4/0014 . . { Biodegradable glass}
- C03C 4/0021 . . { for dental use}
  
- C03C 4/0028 . {for crystal glass, e.g. lead-free crystal glass}
  
- C03C 4/0035 . {for soluble glass for controlled release of a compound incorporated in said glass}

- C03C 4/0042 . { for glass comprising or including particular isotopes}
- C03C 4/005 . {for opaline glass}
- C03C 4/0057 . {for ultrasonic delay lines glass}
- C03C 4/0064 . { for self-destructing glass ([C03C 4/0014](#) takes precedence)}
- C03C 4/0071 . {for laserable glass}
- C03C 4/0078 . {for glass for dosimeters}
- C03C 4/0085 . {for UV-transmitting glass}
- C03C 4/0092 . { for glass with improved high visible transmittance, e.g. extra-clear glass}
- C03C 4/02 . for coloured glass
- C03C 4/04 . for photosensitive glass
- C03C 4/06 . . . for phototropic or photochromic glass
- C03C 4/065 . . . {for silver-halide free photochromic glass}
- C03C 4/08 . for glass selectively absorbing radiation of specified wave lengths
- C03C 4/082 . . {for infra-red absorbing glass}
- C03C 4/085 . . {for ultra-violet absorbing glass}
- C03C 4/087 . . {for X-rays absorbing glass}
- C03C 4/10 . for infra-red transmitting glass
- C03C 4/12 . for luminescent glass; for fluorescent glass
- C03C 4/14 . for electro-conductive glass
- C03C 4/16 . for dielectric glass
- C03C 4/18 . for ion-sensitive glass
- C03C 4/20 . for chemical resistant glass
  
- C03C 8/00** **Enamels; Glazes (cold glazes for ceramics [{C04B 41/48}](#)); Fusion seal compositions being frit compositions having non-frit additions**
- C03C 8/02 . Frit compositions, i.e. in a powdered or comminuted form
- C03C 8/04 . . containing zinc
- C03C 8/06 . . containing halogen
- C03C 8/08 . . containing phosphorus
- C03C 8/10 . . containing lead
- C03C 8/12 . . . containing titanium or zirconium

- C03C 8/14 . Glass frit mixtures having non-frit additions, e.g. opacifiers, colorants, mill-additions
- C03C 8/16 . . with vehicle or suspending agents, e.g. slip
- C03C 8/18 . . containing free metals
- C03C 8/20 . . containing titanium compounds; containing zirconium compounds
  
- C03C 8/22 . containing two or more distinct frits having different compositions
  
- C03C 8/24 . Fusion seal compositions being frit compositions having non-frit additions, i.e. for use as seals between dissimilar materials, e.g. glass and metal; Glass solders
- C03C 8/245 . . {containing more than 50% lead oxide, by weight}
  
- C03C 10/00** **Devitrified glass ceramics, i.e. glass ceramics having a crystalline phase dispersed in a glassy phase and constituting at least 50% by weight of the total composition**
  
- C03C 10/0009 . {containing silica as main constituent}
- C03C 10/0018 . {containing SiO<sub>2</sub>, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and monovalent metal oxide as main constituents}
- C03C 10/0027 . . {containing SiO<sub>2</sub>, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, Li<sub>2</sub>O as main constituents}
- C03C 10/0036 . {containing SiO<sub>2</sub>, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and a divalent metal oxide as main constituents}
- C03C 10/0045 . . {containing SiO<sub>2</sub>, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and MgO as main constituents}
- C03C 10/0054 . {containing PbO, SnO<sub>2</sub>, B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>}
- C03C 10/0063 . {containing waste materials, e.g. slags}
- C03C 10/0072 . {having a ferro-electric crystal phase}
- C03C 10/0081 . {having a magnetic crystal phase}
- C03C 10/009 . {having a superconducting crystal phase}
- C03C 10/16 . Halogen containing crystalline phase
  
- C03C 11/00** **Multi-cellular glass; {Porous or hollow glass or glass particles}**
  
- C03C 11/002 . {Hollow glass particles}
- C03C 11/005 . {obtained by leaching after a phase separation step}
- C03C 11/007 . {Foam glass, e.g. obtained by incorporating a blowing agent and heating}
  
- C03C 12/00** **Powdered glass ([C03C 8/02](#) takes precedence); Bead compositions**
  
- C03C 12/02 . Reflective beads
  
- C03C 13/00** **Fibre or filament compositions ([manufacture of fibres or filaments C03B 37/00](#))**

- C03C 13/001 . {Alkali-resistant fibres}
- C03C 13/002 .. {containing zirconium}
- C03C 13/003 . {Conducting or semi-conducting fibres}
- C03C 13/005 . {obtained by leaching of a soluble phase and consolidation}
- C03C 13/006 . {Glass-ceramics fibres}
- C03C 13/007 .. {containing zirconium}
- C03C 13/008 . {Polycrystalline optical fibres}
- C03C 13/04 . Fibre optics, e.g. core and clad fibre compositions ([light guides G02B 6/00](#))
- C03C 13/041 .. {Non-oxide glass compositions}
- C03C 13/042 ... {Fluoride glass compositions}
- C03C 13/043 ... {Chalcogenide glass compositions}
- C03C 13/044 .... {containing halogen, e.g. chalcohalide glass compositions}
- C03C 13/045 .. {Silica-containing oxide glass compositions}
- C03C 13/046 ... {Multicomponent glass compositions}
- C03C 13/047 ... {containing deuterium}
- C03C 13/048 .. {Silica-free oxide glass compositions}
- C03C 13/06 . Mineral fibres, e.g. slag wool, mineral wool, rock wool
- C03C 14/00** **Glass compositions containing a non-glass component, e.g. compositions containing fibres, filaments, whiskers, platelets, or the like, dispersed in a glass matrix** ([devitrified glass ceramics C03C 10/00](#))
- C03C 14/002 . {the non-glass component being in the form of fibres, filaments, yarns, felts or woven material}
- C03C 14/004 . {the non-glass component being in the form of particles or flakes}
- C03C 14/006 . {the non-glass component being in the form of microcrystallites, e.g. of optically or electrically active material}
- C03C 14/008 . {the non-glass component being in molecular form}
- Surface treatment of glass; Surface treatment of fibres or filaments from glass, minerals or slag**
- C03C 15/00** **Surface treatment of glass , not in the form of fibres or filaments, by etching** ([etching or surface-brightening compositions, in general C09K 13/00](#))
- C03C 15/02 . for making a smooth surface
- C03C 15/025 .. {for polishing crystal glass, i.e. lead glass}

- C03C 17/00**      **Surface treatment of glass, not in the form of fibres or filaments, by coating (optical coatings of optical elements [G02B 1/10](#))**
- C03C 17/001      . {General methods for coating; Devices therefor}
  - C03C 17/002      .. {for flat glass, e.g. float glass}
  - C03C 17/003      .. {for hollow ware, e.g. containers}
  - C03C 17/004      ... { Coating the inside}
  - C03C 17/005      ... { Coating the outside}
  
  - C03C 17/006      . {with materials of composite character}
  - C03C 17/007      .. {containing a dispersed phase, e.g. particles, fibres or flakes, in a continuous phase}
  - C03C 17/008      .. {comprising a mixture of materials covered by two or more of the groups [C03C 17/02](#), [C03C 17/06](#), [C03C 17/22](#) and [C03C 17/28](#)}
  - C03C 17/009      ... {Mixtures of organic and inorganic materials, e.g. ormosils and ormocers}
  
  - C03C 17/02      . with glass ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
  - C03C 17/04      .. by fritting glass powder
  
  - C03C 17/06      . with metals ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
  - C03C 17/09      .. by deposition from the vapour phase
  - C03C 17/10      .. by deposition from the liquid phase
  
  - C03C 17/22      . with other inorganic material ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
  - C03C 17/225      .. {Nitrides}
  - C03C 17/23      .. Oxides ([C03C 17/02](#) takes precedence)
  - C03C 17/245      ... by deposition from the vapour phase
  - C03C 17/2453      .... {Coating containing SnO<sub>2</sub>}
  - C03C 17/2456      .... {Coating containing TiO<sub>2</sub>}
  - C03C 17/25      ... by deposition from the liquid phase
  - C03C 17/253      .... {Coating containing SnO<sub>2</sub>}
  - C03C 17/256      .... {Coating containing TiO<sub>2</sub>}
  - C03C 17/27      ... by oxidation of a coating previously applied
  
  - C03C 17/28      . with organic material ([C03C 17/34](#), [C03C 17/44](#) take precedence)
  - C03C 17/30      .. with silicon-containing compounds
  - C03C 17/32      .. with synthetic or natural resins ([C03C 17/30](#) takes precedence)
  - C03C 17/322      ... {Polyurethanes or polyisocyanates}
  - C03C 17/324      ... {Polyesters}
  - C03C 17/326      ... {Epoxy resins}
  - C03C 17/328      ... {Polyolefins}
  
  - C03C 17/34      . with at least two coatings having different compositions ([C03C 17/44](#) takes precedence)

- C03C 17/3405 .. {with at least two coatings of organic materials ([C03C 17/36](#), [C03C 17/42](#) take precedence)}
- C03C 17/3411 .. {with at least two coatings of inorganic materials ([C03C 17/36](#), [C03C 17/42](#) take precedence)}
- C03C 17/3417 ... {all coatings being oxide coatings}
- C03C 17/3423 ... {at least one of the coatings comprising a suboxide}
- C03C 17/3429 ... {at least one of the coatings being a non-oxide coating}
- C03C 17/3435 .... {comprising a nitride, oxynitride, boronitride or carbonitride}
- C03C 17/3441 .... {comprising carbon, a carbide or oxycarbide}
- C03C 17/3447 .... {comprising a halide}
- C03C 17/3452 ..... {comprising a fluoride}
- C03C 17/3458 ..... {comprising a chloride}
- C03C 17/3464 .... {comprising a chalcogenide}
- C03C 17/347 ..... {comprising a sulfide or oxysulfide}
- C03C 17/3476 ..... {comprising a selenide or telluride}
- C03C 17/3482 .... {comprising silicon, hydrogenated silicon or a silicide}
- C03C 17/3488 .... {comprising a boride or phosphide}
- C03C 17/3494 .... {comprising other salts, e.g. sulfate, phosphate}
- C03C 17/36 .. at least one coating being a metal
- C03C 17/3602 ... { the metal being present as a layer}
- C03C 17/3605 .... { Coatings of the type glass/metal/inorganic compound }
- C03C 17/3607 .... { Coatings of the type glass/inorganic compound/metal }
- C03C 17/361 .... { Coatings of the type glass/metal/inorganic compound/metal/inorganic compound/other}
- C03C 17/3613 .... { Coatings of type glass/inorganic compound/metal/inorganic compound/metal/other }
- C03C 17/3615 .... { Coatings of the type glass/metal/other inorganic layers, at least one layer being non-metallic}
- C03C 17/3618 .... { Coatings of type glass/inorganic compound/other inorganic layers, at least one layer being metallic }
- C03C 17/3621 .... { one layer at least containing a fluoride }
- C03C 17/3623 .... { one layer at least containing a chloride, bromide or iodide }
- C03C 17/3626 .... { one layer at least containing a nitride, oxynitride, boronitride or carbonitride }
- C03C 17/3628 .... { one layer at least containing a sulfide }
- C03C 17/3631 .... { one layer at least containing a selenide or telluride }
- C03C 17/3634 .... { one layer at least containing carbon, a carbide or oxycarbide }
- C03C 17/3636 .... { one layer at least containing silicon, hydrogenated silicon or a silicide }
- C03C 17/3639 .... { Multilayers containing at least two functional metal layers }
- C03C 17/3642 .... { the multilayer coating containing a metal layer }
- C03C 17/3644 .... { the metal being silver }
- C03C 17/3647 .... { in combination with other metals, silver being more than 50% }
- C03C 17/3649 .... { made of metals other than silver }
- C03C 17/3652 .... { the coating stack containing at least one sacrificial layer to protect the

- metal from oxidation }
- C03C 17/3655 . . . . { the multilayer coating containing at least one conducting layer }
- C03C 17/3657 . . . . { the multilayer coating having optical properties }
- C03C 17/366 . . . . . { Low-emissivity or solar control coatings }
- C03C 17/3663 . . . . . { specially adapted for use as mirrors }
- C03C 17/3665 . . . . . { specially adapted for use as photomask }
- C03C 17/3668 . . . . { the multilayer coating having electrical properties }
- C03C 17/3671 . . . . . { specially adapted for use as electrodes }
- C03C 17/3673 . . . . . { specially adapted for use in heating devices for rear window of vehicles }
- C03C 17/3676 . . . . . { specially adapted for use as electromagnetic shield }
- C03C 17/3678 . . . . . { specially adapted for use in solar cells }
- C03C 17/3681 . . . . { the multilayer coating being used in glazing, e.g. windows or windscreens }
- C03C 17/3684 . . . . { the multilayer coating being used for decoration purposes }
- C03C 17/3686 . . . . { the multilayer coating being used for ovens }
- C03C 17/3689 . . . . { one oxide layer being obtained by oxidation of a metallic layer }
- C03C 17/3692 . . . . { one metallic layer being obtained by reduction of an oxide layer }
- C03C 17/3694 . . . . { one layer having a composition gradient through its thickness }
- C03C 17/3697 . . . . { one metallic layer at least being obtained by electroless plating }
- C03C 17/38 . . . . at least one coating being a coating of an organic material
- C03C 17/40 . . . . all coatings being metal coatings
- C03C 17/42 . . . . at least one coating of an organic material and at least one non-metal coating
  
- C03C 17/44 . . Lustring
  
- C03C 19/00** **Surface treatment of glass, not in the form of fibres or filaments, by mechanical means (sand-blasting, grinding, or polishing glass [B24](#))**
  
- C03C 21/00** **Treatment of glass, not in the form of fibres or filaments, by diffusing ions or metals in the surface**
  
- C03C 21/001 . . {in liquid phase, e.g. molten salts, solutions}
- C03C 21/002 . . {to perform ion-exchange between alkali ions ([C03C 21/005](#) takes precedence)}
- C03C 21/003 . . . {under application of an electrical potential difference}
- C03C 21/005 . . {to introduce in the glass such metals or metallic ions as Ag, Cu}
- C03C 21/006 . . {to perform an exchange of the type  $X_n^+ \rightarrow nH^+$ }
  
- C03C 21/007 . . {in gaseous phase}
  
- C03C 21/008 . . {in solid phase, e.g. using pastes, powders}
  
- C03C 23/00** **Other surface treatment of glass not in the form of fibres or filaments**
  
- C03C 23/0005 . . {by irradiation}
- C03C 23/001 . . {by infra-red light}

- C03C 23/0015 .. {by visible light}
- C03C 23/002 .. {by ultra-violet light}
- C03C 23/0025 .. {by a laser beam}
- C03C 23/003 .. {by X-rays}
- C03C 23/0035 .. {by gamma-rays}
- C03C 23/004 .. {by electrons, protons or alpha-particles}
- C03C 23/0045 .. {by neutrons}
- C03C 23/005 .. {by atoms}
- C03C 23/0055 .. {by ion implantation}
- C03C 23/006 .. {by plasma or corona discharge}
- C03C 23/0065 .. {by microwave radiation}
  
- C03C 23/007 . {by thermal treatment}
  
- C03C 23/0075 . {Cleaning of glass (specially adapted to plate glass [B08B 11/00](#))}
  
- C03C 23/008 . {comprising a lixiviation step}
  
- C03C 23/0085 . {Drying; Dehydroxylation}
  
- C03C 23/009 . { Poling glass}
  
- C03C 23/0095 . {Solution impregnating; Solution doping; Molecular stuffing, e.g. of porous glass (in manufacture of preforms [C03B 37/012](#))}
  
- C03C 25/00** **Surface treatment of fibres or filaments from glass, minerals, or slags** {(woven fabrics D03; non-woven fabrics D04; treatment of fabrics in general or non-chemical aspects of treatment of glass fabrics D06M)}
  
- C03C 25/002 . {by thermal treatment}
  
- C03C 25/005 . {by mechanical means}
  
- C03C 25/007 . { by solution impregnating; solution doping or molecular stuffing of porous glass}
  
- C03C 25/10 . by coating
- C03C 25/1005 .. {with materials of composite character}
- C03C 25/101 ... {containing particles, fibres or flakes, e.g. in a continuous phase}
- C03C 25/1015 .. {with rubber latex-containing coatings}
- C03C 25/102 .. {Coating with colouring agent-containing compositions, e.g. for obtaining coloured textiles}
- C03C 25/1025 .. {Fibres used for reinforcing cement-based products}
- C03C 25/103 ... {with organic coatings}
- C03C 25/1035 ... {with inorganic coatings}
- C03C 25/104 .. {to obtain optical fibres}
- C03C 25/1045 ... {with organic coatings or claddings}
- C03C 25/105 .... {Organic claddings}

C03C 25/1055	....	{Organic coatings}
C03C 25/106	.....	{Single coatings}
C03C 25/1065	.....	{Multiple coatings}
C03C 25/107	...	{with inorganic coatings}
C03C 25/1075	....	{Carbon}
C03C 25/108	....	{Metals}
C03C 25/1085	....	{ Multiple inorganic coatings}
C03C 25/109	...	{ with at least one organic coating and at least one inorganic coating}
C03C 25/1095	..	{ to obtain coated fabrics}
C03C 25/12	..	General methods for coating; Devices therefor
C03C 25/14	...	Spraying, e.g. pulverisation
C03C 25/143	....	{Pulverisation on continuous fibres}
C03C 25/146	....	{Pulverisation on fibres in suspension in a gaseous medium}
C03C 25/16	...	Dipping
C03C 25/18	...	using extrusion devices
C03C 25/20	...	Contacting the fibres with applicators, e.g. rolls
C03C 25/22	...	Depositing from the vapour phase
C03C 25/223	....	{by chemical vapour deposition or pyrolysis}
C03C 25/226	....	{by sputtering}

#### **NOTE**

In groups [C03C 25/24](#) to [C03C 25/40](#), organic coating compositions also cover mixtures of organic and inorganic compounds. A coating composition which cannot be completely classified in a single one of groups [C03C 25/24](#) to [C03C 25/40](#) should be classified in each relevant group, in accordance with the following rules: - Compositions containing only one macromolecular constituent and one or more conventional inorganic or non-macromolecular compounds, e.g. acids, solvents, are classified according to the macromolecular constituent only. - Compositions containing two or more macromolecular constituents and further conventional inorganic or non-macromolecular compounds are classified according to the macromolecular constituent present in the highest proportion. If, however, the other macromolecular constituents represent invention information, classification is also made for these constituents. - Compositions containing macromolecular constituents present in comparable proportions are classified according to these constituents. - If non-macromolecular compounds in the composition also represent invention information, [C03C 25/38](#), for specific solvents, fillers, dyes or pigments, surfactants, biocides or the like in [C03C 25/24](#) or subgroups.

C03C 25/24	..	Coatings containing organic materials
C03C 25/243	...	{Oils, waxes, fats or derivatives thereof}
C03C 25/246	...	{Non-macromolecular compounds not covered by <a href="#">C03C 25/243</a> }

- C03C 25/26 . . . Macromolecular compounds or prepolymers, {e.g. sizing compositions}
- C03C 25/28 . . . . . obtained by reactions involving only carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds
- C03C 25/285 . . . . . {Acrylic resins}
- C03C 25/30 . . . . . Polyolefins
- C03C 25/305 . . . . . {Polyfluoro olefins}
- C03C 25/32 . . . . . obtained otherwise than by reactions involving only carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds
- C03C 25/321 . . . . . {Starch or starch derivatives}
- C03C 25/323 . . . . . {Esters or alkyd resins}
- C03C 25/325 . . . . . {Polycarbonates}
- C03C 25/326 . . . . . {Polyureas or polyurethanes}
- C03C 25/328 . . . . . {Polyamides}
- C03C 25/34 . . . . . Condensation polymers of aldehydes, e.g. with phenol, ureas, melamines, amides or amines
- C03C 25/36 . . . . . Epoxy resins
- C03C 25/38 . . . . . Organo-metal compounds
- C03C 25/40 . . . . . Organo-silicon compounds
- C03C 25/42 . . . . . Coatings containing inorganic materials
- C03C 25/44 . . . . . Carbon, e.g. graphite
- C03C 25/46 . . . . . Metals
- C03C 25/48 . . . . . with two or more coatings having different compositions {(C03C 25/104 take s precedence)}

#### NOTE

If one or more of the individual coatings are of interest, for each of these coatings classification is also made in one or more of groups [C03C 25/24](#) to [C03C 25/46](#), in accordance with the note before group [C03C 25/24](#).

- C03C 25/50 . . . . . Coatings containing organic materials only
- C03C 25/52 . . . . . Coatings containing inorganic materials only
- C03C 25/54 . . . . . Combinations of one or more coatings containing organic materials only with one or more coatings containing inorganic materials only
- C03C 25/60 . . . . . by diffusing ions or metals in the surface
- C03C 25/601 . . . . . {in the liquid phase, e.g. using molten salts or solutions}
- C03C 25/602 . . . . . {to perform ion-exchange between alkali ions (C03C 25/605 takes precedence)}
- C03C 25/603 . . . . . {under application of an electrical potential difference}
- C03C 25/605 . . . . . {to introduce in the glass such metals or metallic ions as Ag or Cu}
- C03C 25/606 . . . . . {to perform an exchange of the type  $X_n^+ \rightarrow nH^+$ }
- C03C 25/607 . . . . . {in the gaseous phase}
- C03C 25/608 . . . . . {in the solid phase, e.g. using pastes, powders}
- C03C 25/62 . . . . . by application of electric or wave energy or particle radiation, or by ion implantation (for drying or dehydration [C03C 25/64](#))
- C03C 25/6206 . . . . . {Electromagnetic waves}

- C03C 25/6213 . . . {Infra-red}
- C03C 25/622 . . . {Visible light}
- C03C 25/6226 . . . {Ultra-violet}
- C03C 25/6233 . . . {Laser}
- C03C 25/624 . . . {X-rays}
- C03C 25/6246 . . . {Gamma-rays}
- C03C 25/6253 . . . {Microwaves}
- C03C 25/626 . . {Particle radiation or ion implantation}
- C03C 25/6266 . . . {Electrons, protons or alpha-particles}
- C03C 25/6273 . . . {Neutrons}
- C03C 25/628 . . . {Atoms}
- C03C 25/6286 . . . {Ion implantation}
- C03C 25/6293 . . {Plasma or corona discharge}
  
- C03C 25/64 . Drying; Dehydration; Dehydroxylation
  
- C03C 25/66 . Chemical treatment, e.g. leaching, acid alkali treatment ([dehydroxylation C03C 25/46](#))
- C03C 25/68 . . by etching
  
- C03C 25/70 . Cleaning, e.g. for reuse ([C03C 25/002](#), [C03C 25/62](#) and [C03C 25/66](#) take precedence)

#### **Joining glass to glass or to other materials** ([fusion seal compositions C03C 8/24](#))

#### **NOTE**

Layered products classified in groups [C03C 27/00](#) or [C03C 29/00](#) are also classified in subclass [B32B](#).

- C03C 27/00** **Joining pieces of glass to pieces of other inorganic material; Joining glass to glass other than by fusing** ([C03C 17/00](#) takes precedence; layered structures comprising at least one glass sheet [B32B 17/00](#); wired glass [C03B](#); joining glass to ceramics [C04](#))
  
- C03C 27/005 . {with compositions containing more than 50% lead oxide by weight}
  
- C03C 27/02 . by fusing glass directly to metal
  
- C03C 27/04 . Joining glass to metal by means of an interlayer
- C03C 27/042 . . {consisting of a combination of materials selected from glass, glass-ceramic or ceramic material with metals, metal oxides or metal salts}
- C03C 27/044 . . . {of glass, glass-ceramic or ceramic material only}
- C03C 27/046 . . . {of metals, metal oxides or metal salts only}
- C03C 27/048 . . {consisting of an adhesive specially adapted for that purpose}
  
- C03C 27/06 . Joining glass to glass by processes other than fusing (fusing [C03B 23/20](#); units for use as elements for closing wall or like openings and comprising two or more parallel glass panes in spaced relationship, the panes being permanently secured together)

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- C03C 27/08 . . with the aid of intervening metal
- C03C 27/10 . . with the aid of adhesive specially adapted for that purpose

**C03C 29/00**      **Joining metals with the aid of glass****C03C 2201/00**      **Glass compositions**

- C03C 2201/02 . Pure silica glass, e.g. pure fused quartz
- C03C 2201/06 . Doped silica-based glasses
- C03C 2201/08 . . containing boron or halide
- C03C 2201/10 . . . containing boron ([C03C 2201/14](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 2201/11 . . . containing chlorine
- C03C 2201/12 . . . containing fluorine ([C03C 2201/14](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 2201/14 . . . containing boron and fluorine
- C03C 2201/20 . . containing non-metals other than boron or halide
- C03C 2201/21 . . . containing molecular hydrogen
- C03C 2201/22 . . . containing deuterium
- C03C 2201/23 . . . containing hydroxyl groups
- C03C 2201/24 . . . containing nitrogen, e.g. silicon oxy-nitride glasses
- C03C 2201/26 . . . containing carbon
- C03C 2201/28 . . . containing phosphorus
- C03C 2201/30 . . containing metals
- C03C 2201/31 . . . containing germanium
- C03C 2201/32 . . . containing aluminium ([C03C 2201/36](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 2201/34 . . . containing rare earth metals ([C03C 2201/36](#) takes precedence)
- C03C 2201/3405 . . . . Scandium
- C03C 2201/3411 . . . . Yttrium
- C03C 2201/3417 . . . . Lanthanum
- C03C 2201/3423 . . . . Cerium
- C03C 2201/3429 . . . . Praseodymium
- C03C 2201/3435 . . . . Neodymium
- C03C 2201/3441 . . . . Samarium
- C03C 2201/3447 . . . . Europium
- C03C 2201/3452 . . . . Gadolinium
- C03C 2201/3458 . . . . Terbium
- C03C 2201/3464 . . . . Dysprosium
- C03C 2201/347 . . . . Holmium
- C03C 2201/3476 . . . . Erbium

- C03C 2201/3482 . . . . Thulium
- C03C 2201/3488 . . . . Ytterbium
- C03C 2201/3494 . . . . Lutetium
- C03C 2201/36 . . . . containing rare earth metals and aluminium, e.g. Er-Al co-doped
- C03C 2201/40 . . . containing transition metals other than rare earth metals, e.g. Zr, Nb, Ta or Zn
- C03C 2201/42 . . . . containing titanium
- C03C 2201/50 . . . containing alkali metals
- C03C 2201/54 . . . containing beryllium, magnesium or alkaline earth metals
- C03C 2201/58 . . . containing metals in non-oxide form, e.g. CdSe
  
- C03C 2201/60 . containing organic material
  
- C03C 2201/80 . containing bubbles or microbubbles, e.g. opaque quartz glass

### **C03C 2203/00      Production processes**

- C03C 2203/10 . Melting processes
  
- C03C 2203/20 . Wet processes, e.g. sol-gel process
  - C03C 2203/22 . . using colloidal silica sols
  - C03C 2203/24 . . using alkali silicate solutions
  - C03C 2203/26 . . using alkoxides
    - C03C 2203/27 . . . the alkoxides containing other organic groups, e.g. alkyl groups
      - C03C 2203/28 . . . . functional groups, e.g. vinyl, glycidyl
  - C03C 2203/30 . . Additives
    - C03C 2203/32 . . . Catalysts
      - C03C 2203/34 . . adding silica powder
      - C03C 2203/36 . . Gel impregnation
  
- C03C 2203/40 . Gas-phase processes
  - C03C 2203/42 . . using silicon halides as starting materials
    - C03C 2203/44 . . . chlorine containing
    - C03C 2203/46 . . . fluorine containing
  
- C03C 2203/50 . After-treatment
  - C03C 2203/52 . . Heat-treatment
    - C03C 2203/54 . . . in a dopant containing atmosphere

### **C03C 2204/00      Glasses, glazes or enamels with special properties**

- C03C 2204/02 . Antibacterial glass, glaze or enamel
  
- C03C 2204/04 . Opaque glass, glaze or enamel

- C03C 2204/06 . . opacified by gas
- C03C 2204/08 . Glass having a rough surface
- C03C 2205/00            Compositions applicable for the manufacture of vitreous enamels or glazes**
- C03C 2205/02 . for opaque enamels or glazes
- C03C 2205/04 . for self-cleaning enamels or glazes
- C03C 2205/06 . for dental use
- C03C 2207/00            Compositions specially applicable for the manufacture of vitreous enamels**
- C03C 2207/02 . containing ingredients for securing a good bond between the vitrified enamel and the metal
- C03C 2207/04 . for steel
- C03C 2207/06 . for cast iron
- C03C 2207/08 . for light metals
- C03C 2207/10 . for copper, silver or gold
- C03C 2209/00            Compositions specially applicable for the manufacture of vitreous glazes**
- C03C 2209/02 . to produce non-uniformly coloured glazes
- C03C 2213/00            Glass fibres or filaments**
- C03C 2213/02 . Biodegradable glass fibres
- C03C 2213/04 . Dual fibres
- C03C 2214/00            Nature of the non-vitreous component**
- C03C 2214/02 . Fibres; Filaments; Yarns; Felts; Woven material
- C03C 2214/03 . . surface treated, e.g. coated
- C03C 2214/04 . Particles; Flakes
- C03C 2214/05 . . surface treated, e.g. coated
- C03C 2214/06 . Whiskers ss
- C03C 2214/07 . . surface treated, e.g. coated
- C03C 2214/08 . Metals

- C03C 2214/10 . Superconducting materials
- C03C 2214/12 . Polymers
- C03C 2214/14 . Waste material, e.g. to be disposed of
- C03C 2214/16 . Microcrystallites, e.g. of optically or electrically active material
- C03C 2214/17 . in molecular form (for molecular composites)
- C03C 2214/20 . Glass-ceramics matrix
- C03C 2214/30 . Methods of making the composites
- C03C 2214/32 . comprising a sol-gel process
- C03C 2214/34 . comprising an impregnation by molten glass step

#### **C03C 2217/00 Coatings on glass**

- C03C 2217/20 . Materials for coating a single layer on glass
- C03C 2217/21 .. Oxides
  - C03C 2217/211 ... SnO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/212 ... TiO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/213 ... SiO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/214 ... Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>
  - C03C 2217/215 ... In<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>
  - C03C 2217/216 ... ZnO
  - C03C 2217/217 ... FeO<sub>x</sub>, CoO<sub>x</sub>, NiO<sub>x</sub>
  - C03C 2217/218 ... V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, Nb<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, Ta<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
  - C03C 2217/219 ... CrO<sub>x</sub>, MoO<sub>x</sub>, WO<sub>x</sub>
  - C03C 2217/22 ... ZrO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/228 ... Other specific oxides
  - C03C 2217/229 ... Non-specific enumeration
  - C03C 2217/23 ... Mixtures
    - C03C 2217/231 .... In<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>/SnO<sub>2</sub>
    - C03C 2217/232 .... CdO/SnO<sub>2</sub>
  - C03C 2217/24 ... Doped oxides
    - C03C 2217/241 .... with halides
    - C03C 2217/242 .... with rare earth metals
    - C03C 2217/243 .... with S, Se, Te
    - C03C 2217/244 .... with Sb
  - C03C 2217/25 .. Metals
    - C03C 2217/251 ... Al, Cu, Mg or noble metals

C03C 2217/252	....	Al
C03C 2217/253	....	Cu
C03C 2217/254	....	Noble metals
C03C 2217/255	.....	Au
C03C 2217/256	.....	Ag
C03C 2217/257	...	Refractory metals
C03C 2217/258	....	Ti, Zr, Hf
C03C 2217/259	....	V, Nb, Ta
C03C 2217/26	....	Cr, Mo, W
C03C 2217/261	...	Iron-group metals, i.e. Fe, Co or Ni
C03C 2217/262	...	Light metals other than Al
C03C 2217/263	...	Metals other than noble metals, Cu or Hg

**NOTE**

This code is only to be used in combination with [C03C](#) classification symbols having the +IDT notation.

C03C 2217/268	...	Other specific metals
C03C 2217/269	...	Non-specific enumeration
C03C 2217/27	...	Mixtures of metals, alloys
C03C 2217/28	..	Other inorganic materials
C03C 2217/281	...	Nitrides
C03C 2217/282	...	Carbides, silicides
C03C 2217/283	...	Borides, phosphides
C03C 2217/284	...	Halides
C03C 2217/285	.....	Fluorides
C03C 2217/286	.....	Chlorides
C03C 2217/287	...	Chalcogenides
C03C 2217/288	.....	Sulfides
C03C 2217/289	.....	Selenides, tellurides
C03C 2217/29	..	Mixtures
C03C 2217/40	.	Coatings comprising at least one inhomogeneous layer
C03C 2217/42	..	consisting of particles only
C03C 2217/425	..	consisting of a porous layer
C03C 2217/43	..	consisting of a dispersed phase in a continuous phase
C03C 2217/44	...	characterized by the composition of the continuous phase
C03C 2217/445	.....	Organic continuous phases
C03C 2217/45	.....	Inorganic continuous phases
C03C 2217/452	.....	Glass
C03C 2217/46	...	characterized by the dispersed phase
C03C 2217/465	.....	having a specific shape
C03C 2217/47	.....	consisting of a specific material

- C03C 2217/475 ..... Inorganic materials
- C03C 2217/476 ..... Tin oxide or doped tin oxide
- C03C 2217/477 ..... Titanium oxide
- C03C 2217/478 ..... Silica
- C03C 2217/479 ..... Metals
- C03C 2217/48 ..... having a specific function
- C03C 2217/485 ..... Pigments
  
- C03C 2217/70 . Properties of coatings
- C03C 2217/71 .. Photocatalytic coatings
- C03C 2217/72 .. Decorative coatings
- C03C 2217/73 .. Anti-reflective coatings with specific characteristics
- C03C 2217/732 ... made of a single layer
- C03C 2217/734 ... comprising an alternation of high and low refractive indexes
- C03C 2217/74 .. UV-absorbing coatings
- C03C 2217/75 .. Hydrophilic and oleophilic coatings
- C03C 2217/76 .. Hydrophobic and oleophobic coatings
- C03C 2217/77 .. Coatings having a rough surface
- C03C 2217/775 ... to provide anti-slip characteristics
- C03C 2217/78 .. Coatings specially designed to be durable, e.g. scratch-resistant
  
- C03C 2217/90 . Other aspects of coatings
- C03C 2217/91 .. Coatings containing at least one layer having a composition gradient through its thickness
- C03C 2217/92 .. Coating of crystal glass
- C03C 2217/93 .. Coatings containing a reinforcement comprising fibers or grids
- C03C 2217/94 .. Transparent conductive oxide layers [TCO] being part of a multilayer coating
- C03C 2217/944 ... Layers comprising zinc oxide
- C03C 2217/948 ... Layers comprising indium tin oxide [ITO]

### **C03C 2218/00      Methods for coating glass**

- C03C 2218/10 . Deposition methods
- C03C 2218/11 .. from solutions or suspensions
- C03C 2218/111 ... by dipping, immersion
- C03C 2218/112 ... by spraying
- C03C 2218/113 ... by sol-gel processes
- C03C 2218/114 ... by brushing, pouring or doctorblading
- C03C 2218/115 ... electro-enhanced deposition
- C03C 2218/116 ... by spin-coating, centrifugation
- C03C 2218/117 ... by ultrasonic methods
- C03C 2218/118 ... by roller-coating
- C03C 2218/119 ... by printing

- C03C 2218/13 .. from melts
- C03C 2218/15 .. from the vapour phase
- C03C 2218/151 ... by vacuum evaporation
- C03C 2218/152 ... by cvd
- C03C 2218/1525 .... by atmospheric CVD
- C03C 2218/153 .... by plasma-enhanced cvd
- C03C 2218/154 ... by sputtering
- C03C 2218/155 .... by reactive sputtering
- C03C 2218/156 .... by magnetron sputtering
- C03C 2218/17 .. from a solid phase
  
- C03C 2218/30 . Aspects of methods for coating glass not covered above
- C03C 2218/31 .. Pre-treatment
- C03C 2218/32 .. After-treatment
- C03C 2218/322 ... Oxidation
- C03C 2218/324 ... De-oxidation
- C03C 2218/326 ... Nitriding
- C03C 2218/328 ... Partly or completely removing a coating
- C03C 2218/33 .... by etching
- C03C 2218/335 .. Reverse coating
- C03C 2218/34 .. Masking
- C03C 2218/345 .. Surface crystallisation
- C03C 2218/35 .. Exuding
- C03C 2218/355 .. Temporary coating
- C03C 2218/36 .. Underside coating of a glass sheet
- C03C 2218/365 .. Coating different sides of a glass substrate